



Frequently Asked Questions

Q1: What grade levels can participate in the Recycle Rex's Statewide Recycle Challenge? Are schools outside of California eligible to participate?

Answer: All California elementary school classes (public or private), from Kindergarten through 6th grade are eligible to enter Recycle Rex's Statewide Recycle Challenge.

Q2: I want to sign up my entire school for Recycle Rex's Statewide Recycle Challenge. If we win, will the entire school win prizes?

Answer: Certainly encourage your entire school to participate in Recycle Rex's Statewide Recycle Challenge. Your school will be responsible for organizing the event and the collection activities. Be as creative as you can. All of the classes in your school can compete against each other or the entire school can choose one class to enter, and help with the collection.

A total of five classes will win. However, only one class can be the grand prize winner. The remaining second through fifth place winners will also receive prizes.

Q3: My sixth grade class has signed up for Recycle Rex's Statewide Recycle Challenge and my students are looking forward to the competition. However, they are hesitant to have Recycle Rex at their ceremony if they win. Is Recycle Rex mandatory at the awards ceremony for the older kids?

Answer: Understandably, the older students soon to move to 7th grade, may have outgrown Recycle Rex. We will tailor our award ceremonies for the older 6th graders and not include Recycle Rex. The award ceremonies will be just as fun and educational!

Q4: Why does the Challenge include CRV aluminum and CRV plastic, but not CRV glass?

Answer: Glass can be difficult to safely collect, store, and transport for redemption purposes. For the safety of the students and all those involved, we've decided not to include CRV glass collection and redemption in Recycle Rex's Statewide Recycle Challenge.

Q5: Do you need the original redemption receipts sent with the tracking sheets? Are copies ok to submit?

Answer: We prefer that you send us clear copies but do ask that you retain your original receipts. If questions arise, you can easily refer back to your original receipts.